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DAILY WEATHER REPORT
Partly cloudy tonight and Thursday; not much change in temperature.

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DR. BROWN SAYS FREDA McKECHNIE DIED OF HEAD BLOW

Vicious Blow Was Given Girl
On the Head, He
Testifies

STRUCK FROM BEHIND

Prosecution Says Blow Was
Struck During Midnight
Swim

By David P. Sentner
(I. N. S. Staff Correspondent)

WILKES-BARRE, Oct. 3—Freda McKechnie, young telephone girl, died from a vicious blow on the head and not from drowning, Dr. H. Brown testified today at the "American tragedy" murder trial of her betrayer, 21-year-old Bobby Edwards, small town adonis.

The prosecution charges the youthful mine surveyor struck down Freda from behind during a midnight swim in the rain at Harvey's Lake.

Freda was to have become a mother and Bobby wanted to marry Margaret Crain, 22 year old music teacher of East Aurora, New York, whom he had met at college, the State charges.

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WILKES-BARRE, Pa., Oct. 3—(INS)—The oldest tragedy in the world, the seed of which dates back to the Greeks and the cradle of dramatic art, continued to unfold in a court room with death outside the window.

Bobby Edwards, of voting age, who had a way with the girls, keeps his chin firm and his eyes flashing as the prosecution unfolds more macabre details of his alleged slaying of his childhood sweetheart, Freda McKechnie.

Margaret Crain, 22-year-old musician, of East Aurora, N. Y., came into his life and so he murdered Freda whom he had compromised, the prosecution charges.

When the body of Freda, clad in a vivid, orange colored bathing suit was recovered from Harvey's Lake and Edwards was branded as her slayer, Margaret Crain declared she was sure of his innocence and would stick by him.

But no word since has come from Margaret although the prosecution has invited her to appear as a witness.

Today a report is widely circulated that Margaret will appear as a state's witness. Neither the district attorney nor defense counsel would comment on the report.

The State, unraveling its case with amazing speed against the handsome Lothario of the small mining town of Edwardsville, expects to present its case evidence against the defendant today.

It is his alleged confession of the crime—the story that he lured Freda on a midnight swim in the pouring rain where he beat her unconscious with a blackjack as her back was turned.

"I killed her so I could marry Margaret Crain," the prosecution quotes him as saying.

The grim realism of the testimony has broken through the traditional ancestral stoicism of the relatives of the dead girl.

The McKechnie's are Scotch, a race which has learned to suppress its emotions.

But the mother of Freda weeps quietly as witnesses parade to the

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Two Members Entertain
The Bristol M. E. Choir

Mrs. Livingston Joyce and Mrs. John Hunter were hostesses last evening to members of the Bristol M. E. Choir, at the home of the former, 120 Fillmore street.

Following an evening of sociability, refreshments were served to the Misses Beulah Stackhouse, Margaret and Louise Smoyer, Carolyn Betz, Elizabeth Wilkinson, Marion Walters, Carrie Rapp, and Helen Appleton; Mr. and Mrs. William Kershaw, Mrs. Charles Warwick, Mrs. Emily Orr, Mrs. Charles Bassett, Mrs. Richard Winslow; Messrs. Howard Smoyer, James Douglass, James Estep, Livingston Joyce.

TO SELL BAKED GOODS

A bake sale will be held on Saturday from nine until 12 noon at 315 Mill street, under auspices of the Navy Division, Bethel A. M. E. Church. Orders will be promptly delivered on request.

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THE COMING ELECTION

Editorial in Pittsburgh-Gazette Times, September 29, 1934

Joseph F. Guffey, Democratic candidate for the United States Senate, is basing his campaign on the pledge to support the New Deal to the limit, which means that if he is sent to Washington he will go there with his eyes closed and his hands tied and lend his aid to all the extreme policies of the Brain Trustees.

The President needs advisors—not rubber stamps at this time. The United States Treasury needs protectors—not raiders. Any candidate who pledges himself in advance to follow a certain course blindly no matter where it leads, does not deserve to sit in the Senate which is presumed to be a deliberative body. Any man, who regards Treasury funds as so much easy cash to be scattered recklessly where it will please the greatest number of voters without regard for how the National budget is to be balanced or where the taxes are coming from, is an unsafe representative.

And anyone who fools the people by neglecting to tell them that the reason the cost of food and other necessities is rising is because of the extreme waste in money expenditures for all the experiments which are being made, should not be trusted to represent us.

In these critical times the President needs men who will exercise common judgment and reasonable caution—men who have minds of their own. Even if some of the Administration's policies have been helpful, everyone knows how dangerous and costly most of them have been.

Of course, if you don't care "where we are going" and if you don't fear the "day of reckoning," which is inevitable, then vote for the New Deal party.

On the other hand, if you want to bring about a condition which will stimulate business and employment, you must first help to bring back confidence in our Administration and its program. This cannot be accomplished with a "rubber stamp" Congress, which blindly votes for every measure proposed.

If ever men were needed in the Senate and House of Representatives to check the fallacies of the young professors and theorists surrounding the President and to stop the effort of some of these radicals to plunge us into Fascism, if not Communism, this is the time.

PAUL BLOCK,
Publisher.

TIGERS AND ST. LOUIS OPEN SERIES TODAY

Ready For The Fight For The
World's Series
Honors

EXPECT A HUGE CROWD

By Davis J. Walsh
(I. N. S. Sports Editor)

DETROIT, Oct. 3—(INS)—Away back there when time wore a whisker and Cobb was great, the Detroit Tigers won the last of three pennants in the American League and then called it a career. Today, 25 years later, the modern version of the Cobbs, the O'Learys, the Moriartys and Schmidts were to go forth and take issue with the St. Louis Cardinals in the first game of the 1934 World Series, with a nation hanging desperately upon the result and the city going briefly and intelligently mad.

Navin Field will hold an ultra-capacity of 45,000 at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon when time is called for the first game of the most dramatic of all world series.

That will be a little way out from the centre of the town. En route will be the motley horde of disappointed ticket-seekers, destined to finish on the curbside, listening to a ball game. The centre of town will be deserted. If they can't see what happens when their Tigers face the great "Dizzy" Dean in the first game of this series, at least they'll hear it.

That's hardly anything unusual with a town and a territory that sent a hundred hardy souls out to watch by the silent and almost reproachful gates a week ago and yesterday nominated a thousand more to stand in front of a hotel entrance on the off-chance that it might see a ball player on his way back home.

It's all the result of a conspiracy of circumstances, during which the national game has been carried from the realm of the commonplace into something that Belasius would have loved. In the first place, here is the local ball club which, asked to follow the managerial voice, Mickey Cochrane, into sixth place, not suddenly but all too gradually and suddenly winds up in first. In the second place, there is

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DIES OF INJURIES DUE TO TRAP EXPLODING

Earle O. Stout, 40, Morrisville, Victim of Peculiar Accident

HEMORRHAGE OF BRAIN

MORRISVILLE, Oct. 3—While attempting to repair a steam trap in the gas press room of the Vulcanized Rubber Company plant here yesterday, Earle O. Stout, 40 years old, of 17 East Bridge street, was so badly injured that he died five minutes after being taken to Mercer Hospital in Trenton. A hemorrhage of the brain is said to have been the cause of his death. Coroner Silas Bray, of Trenton, issued a burial permit.

The accident occurred just before noon. The trap, which is located near the floor of the room, was evidently stopped up, and Stout had been working on it in an attempt to repair it.

Fellow workers, who worked in the same room with Stout, said that they saw him leaning out of a window looking at the pipe as it came outside of the building, and then when he was working over the top of the pipe on the inside of the room, there was an explosion and the victim's body was thrown almost as high as the ceiling, on

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THE BIGGEST FISH I EVER CAUGHT

Ronald Swain Hooked 9-Lb.
Fluke and Had No
Gaff Hook

BAIT, SMALL MINNOW
Required 10 or 15 Minutes To
Land the Prize
Catch

The Biggest Fish I Ever Caught."

That is the subject upon which a number of well-known fishermen have been interviewed by a Courier reporter. Contrary to the usual "fish" stories the sizes given in these interviews have been given accurately to the author of the story.

ARTICLE VIII

Finding himself without a gaff hook was the experience of C. Ronald Swain, Edgely baker, when he hooked the biggest "catch" of his life, a nine-pound fluke.

The bait that lured the fluke to Mr. Swain's hook two years ago was spearing, a small minnow.

"I had gone out from Seaside, N. J., at about seven o'clock one morn-

POTATO GROWERS FACE BIG LOSS DUE TO WET WEATHER

So Much Rain is Causing
Them to Rot on The
Vines

TOMATOES ALSO HIT

Nearly 2000 Acres in Lower
Bucks County Devoted
To Tomatoes

Should the wet weather continue much longer, according to County Agent William F. Greenawalt, Doylestown, potato growers in this part of the country this Fall will suffer heavy losses. The wet weather during the past few weeks not only has prevented the harvest of the late crop of potatoes, but in some of the lower places the potatoes are beginning to rot.

Not only are the potato farmers facing a heavy loss, but the tomato growers as well are being confronted with a serious problem because the tomatoes, too, are beginning to rot on the vines. Approximately 2000 acres of land in the lower part of Bucks county have been devoted to the growing of tomatoes. Some of the crop has already been harvested and taken to the canneries, but a large portion of it still remains to be harvested.

Speaking briefly of the 400 Bushel Potato Club, Mr. Greenawalt stated, that as yet no measurements have been taken in the county. The early crop of potatoes was reported to have been quite heavy.

Corn as yet has not been hurt because of the wet weather, although in some places, especially where the ground became soft because of the continued rains, the stalks were flattened, thus making it rather difficult to cut. The corn yield this Fall, it is expected, will be very good. Farmers at present are in the midst of silo filling, but the rainy weather has also retarded this to some extent.

Owing to the poor conditions, farmers were unable to sow much alfalfa during August. The preparation of the seed bed for the Fall sowing of grains has also been retarded because of the wet weather.

According to Mr. Greenawalt, this is ideal weather for the celery blight. On the other hand, however, the grasses have benefited greatly because of the rains during the past few weeks.

Mr. Greenawalt stated a few days ago that the apples in this section have an unusually good coloring this Fall and that an average yield is expected throughout Bucks county.

TODAY'S YESTERDAYS
October 3

By International News Service

1680—The British Parliament voted itself supreme over the American Colonies.

1691—Ireland and England made peace, and Ireland became part of the British empire.

1718—American troops in the Argonne captured 120 guns, 2,750 trench mortars, 300 machine-guns, 100 anti-tank guns, and thousands of German soldiers.

1922—Mrs. Rebecca Felton was appointed the first U. S. senator by the governor of Georgia.

1924—An airplane was launched from a dirigible for the first time, at Dayton, O.

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FIRST INSTALLMENT

Only 313 On Staff of 'D. J.', World's Ace Detective Force

The Bureau of Investigation, United States Department of Justice, always gets IT'S man, too.

That's a short, short story about the way the world's greatest detective force works and it packs plenty of significance. For the men of the Department of Justice's division of investigation, in a few short years, have come to surpass in fact even the most amazing fictional heroes of Scotland Yard, the Paris Surete, or the Soviet OGPU.

How they've come to do it is historic in the annals of crime detection. The story of the division is the story of its chief, and following is the first instalment of a series on John Edgar Hoover and his sensationaly successful system of crime detection.

By International News Service

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WASHINGTON, Oct. 3—(INS)—Relentlessly, deftly, almost monotonously, the quiet spoken, clean-cut young men of the Division of Investigation of the Department of Justice bring in the kidnapers, the extortionists, and the other outlaws that other detectives can't.

Yet there's not a false moustache, not a single fiction type detective in the whole band of 313 accountants and lawyers who are the terror of the underworld.

HE WAS READY



J. EDGAR HOOVER
Head of the Division of Investigation of the U. S. Department of Justice

Thinks He's Being Kidded

Police agencies of 53 countries look to him as the man who has revolutionized crime detection and thereby crime prevention, but Hoover just can't swallow that idea whole. He still thinks he's being kidded when feature writers burble and Washington hostesses try to get him to come to their dinners so they can pry at his secrets about kidnapers and embezzling bankers.

Hoover isn't a steely-eyed, grim-faced sort of fellow, who, by the way he looks at you, makes you wonder if you put that false income tax return in the mails after you decided you'd better not.

Actually, he's mild as milk. He might be a junior partner in somebody's large law firm, or a vice president of a bank, or the sales manager of a nation-wide business organization, so far as appearance goes.

In a big, drafty corner room of the Department of Justice Building, with just two telephones and two desks, always piled high with papers, is the headquarters of the world's greatest detective agency. And from 9 o'clock in the morning until at least 8 that evening—and often until the charwoman arrives—a blonde young lady pop in and out with neat little typewritten notes.

He Uses a System

You'd never guess, if you happen to be a visitor there, that while you're chatting idly, that the blonde young lady and the brunette young lady are bearing vital news about a manhunt—a hunt with death in it—far out in Minnesota, or down a dark and narrow alley in Chicago—or in the mass of papers left behind by a banker who died on trust.

And that's where system comes in. For, and he's inordinately proud of this, John Edgar Hoover and his men are always in touch, no matter where they are or what they're doing. The "fellows" as he calls them, number only 313. But they all know what is going on. And they all check in with Washington.

Three hundred and thirteen driving, relentless lawyers and accountants,

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REPUBLICAN TICKET

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State Senator

Clarence J. Buckman

Assemblymen

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Thomas B. Stockham

CONSTRUCTION RISES

Failure of the construction industry to show signs of revival has been one of the discouraging features in connection with the recovery program.

That a change is beginning to show itself now gives a brighter coloring to the picture.

According to Dun and Bradstreet, in a review of 215 cities, building permits issued during August totaled in value \$34,000,000. This represented an increase of 1½ per cent over July. The rise, although small, takes on more importance than the figures would seem to justify when it is remembered that the gain was made at a season when, normally, there is a decline. Further significance is given it also in the fact that the August figures were 6.3 per cent greater than the figures for the same month last year.

A general revival of the construction industry would be felt in many related fields and would give a decided boost to general recovery. The August increase may indicate that the long-expected upward turn in building has begun, and that a more rapid rise from now on will occur. If so, its importance hardly can be overestimated.

A NEW WAR GAS

Discovery of a gas, the properties of which recommend it for use in war, was announced before the meeting of the American Chemical society in Cleveland.

It was discovered by Dr. George H. Cady, of New Jersey, while doing research work in the laboratories of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

It has qualities which distinguish it from any other known gases. If laid down as a blanket over enemy trenches, it would have deadly effects, Dr. Cady explained. Paroxysms of coughing are caused by inhaling it, and if a victim reaches an area free of it the pure air serves to intensify its effects. In concentrated form, it is explosive.

Whether any peace-time uses for it can be found apparently has not been determined. Discovery of any element, compound or device destructive of life immediately is examined from the standpoint of its possible value in war. The more deadly it is, the greater its value.

Thus does civilization advance!

New Yorkers like to take their leisure on the go, a committee on the use of leisure reported. If that's the case they'll spend it that way, committee recommendations to the contrary notwithstanding.

You can't expect much reform while people forgive a bad man if he's a good fellow.

NEWS GLEANINGS FROM THE ADJACENT TOWNS; SOME INTERESTING BITS OF DAILY FICTION; SOCIAL EVENTS

TULLYTOWN

by Mrs. George Mohr to her sisters, Mrs. Howard Fox and Mrs. Ralph Slyhoff, Philadelphia.

A surprise party was given on Saturday evening, honoring Cyril Becker at his Maple Shade home, on the occasion of his birthday anniversary. The group gathering enjoyed songs and dancing and a supper which included partaking of a large birthday cake.

Gifts were presented to the surprised celebrant. Those attending: Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wagner, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Zobel and daughters, Catherine and Margaret, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Foster, Albert Foster, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Milnor and Miss Verna Milnor.

The evening was spent playing pinochle. Favors were received by Mrs. Milnor, Miss Verna Milnor, Mrs. Praul and Edward Praul. Refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hillborn had guests recently Mrs. Ella Appleton and Dr. and Mrs. Croelens and daughter Doris, Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ettinger, Mr. and Mrs. John Flannigan, Mr. and Mrs. Henry L. Lovett, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Leonard, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Leonard and family, Mrs. Leo Hibbs were among the Emilieites who enjoyed Trenton Fair last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Flannigan, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cox, Vincent Cox, were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Rock, Maple Shade, N. J., Vincent Cox remained for the week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Flannigan were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. William Mende, Bensalem.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Whately, Miss Dorothy Davenport, Plainfield, N. J.; Miss Gertrude Davenport, Nutley, N. J., were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Leonard.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Connor, Mr.

were Sunday guests of Mrs. Isabella Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. William Lovett, George Lovett and their guest, Mrs. Howard Baines, were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. William Vance, Wycombe.

Mr. Benjamin B. Praul entertained Friday evening in honor of his husband's birthday. Those present: Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin B. Praul, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Still, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Praul, Mr. and Mrs. T. Elias Praul, Miss Lydia Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Hibbs and children, William, Edward, Benjamin and Lewis Praul; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Milnor and Miss Verna Milnor.

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Mr. and Mrs. Edward Connor, Mr.

and Mrs. Horace Booz, Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Hart, Mrs. E. H. Shoemaker carried to the emergency operating room the wedding of Thomas McRae, and died within a few minutes.

The deceased is survived by his wife, who was Miss Margaret Bond, daughter of former Borough Solicitor Lewis R. Bond, a brother, Raymond, his step-father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hooper, of Centre street, Trenton.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Deitrich were visitors this week at York Fair.

Betty Dietrich had as supper guests Monday evening in honor of her birthday, Doris Heble and Ellen Dietrich.

Mrs. George W. Hibbs, Raymond and Wilson Hibbs, Midway, and Miss Amy Williams, Philadelphia, were Sunday callers of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wink.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

JOHN A. Turlinski, 21, of 4638 Milnor street, Philadelphia, and Cecilia A. Banas, 21, of 5351 Eadon street, Philadelphia.

George Knight, 21, of Riverside Park, N. J., and Dorothy V. Stockton, 21, of East Riverton, N. J.

John P. Havens, 48, of 912 Stack street, Utica, N. Y., and Estella Heller, 33, of 17 Girard avenue, Trenton.

Oliver Savander, Jr., of 5825 Weymouth street, Philadelphia, and Mae Woerner, 21, of 6712 Shelbourne street, Philadelphia.

Robert Thomas Clarke, 22, of 2011 East Allegheny avenue, Philadelphia, and Hilda M. Wharton, 21, of 2011 East Allegheny avenue, Philadelphia.

Evan Lefferts Baker, 25, Horsham, and Evelyn Lillian Hoffman, 19, of 509 Continental Road, Hatboro.

Daniel Shields, 21, of 128 Jefferson Road, Princeton, and Helen Seller, 21, of 2131 Liberty street, Trenton.

Antonio Angelo Mario Centanzo, 32, of 107 Christopher street, New York City, and Jennie Mary Serrianni, 21, of 61 Pennington avenue, Trenton.

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in looking over Hauptmann's numerous notebooks, found the address of the Milford township couple in one of the books and turned over the information to the New Jersey State Police for investigation.

At the Milford township home, it was explained that Hauptmann drove there with a new car, and that he was apparently quite prosperous, somewhat to the surprise of the Milford township farmer and his wife.

"It wouldn't surprise me if the police came to our house to question us about Hauptmann," the Bucks county farm wife said to her husband a week ago after the prisoner's arrest.

"Please do not mention our names or make them public in any way; we do not want to get into this mess," the woman pleaded with police yesterday. "The whole affair was quite a shock to us."

A Three Days' Cough Is Your Danger Signal

Dies of Injuries Due To Trap Exploding

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As the man's unconscious form fell to the floor, he was picked up by workmen and rushed to the first-aid room where Dr. James M. Lenk administered first-aid treatment.

The Trenton Police Department and St. Francis Hospital were called in an effort to secure an ambulance. The police department ambulance arrived first, and Stout was rushed to Mercer

"Tragedy" Jurist



Judge W. A. Valentine

Presiding at the trial of Robert Allan Edwards, young Wilkes-Barre, Pa., surveyor who allegedly slew his sweetheart in a situation similar to Theodore Dreiser's novel, "An American Tragedy," is Judge W. A. Valentine, shown above. He has barred photographers from the courtroom and all "circus or hippodrome" during the trial.

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startling kidnappers out of barber chairs and hauling banker-embezzlers out of love nests—all trying to keep the pace with the tense, restrained, shy and passionately interested man on the other end of the telephone, but never quite succeeding in doing so.

That's a capsule story of the routine of the "fellows."

Tomorrow's installment will tell how Hoover drifited, wholly by chance, into the Department of Justice, then into the division of investigation, suddenly to find that he was up to his neck in something that would lead him into a spot where he'd have to get used to being called "colorful."

Frank Wagner, Philadelphia, and O. Mason, Camden, N. J., were guests for a day at the home of the Misses Margaret and Helen Rodgers, 701 Spruce street, John Rodgers and Miss Margaret Rodgers spent a day visiting Mrs. Margaret Brown, Newtown.

Joseph Rodgers has returned to North Bend, after three weeks' vacation with Mr. and Mrs. John Rodgers.

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Events for Tonight

Dance in Mont's hall, Tullytown, S.30 to 12.

LEAVES HOSPITAL

Dennis McGee has returned to Wilson avenue, following an operation performed in Mercer Hospital, Trenton, N. J.

IN TOWN

Mr. and Mrs. John Yule, New York, spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Arnold, Radcliffe street. Guests at the Arnold home during the week-end were Mr. and Mrs. William Hyatt and Mrs. Mode Allison, Trenton, N. J.

Dr. and Mrs. Edward Terry and Henry Reichert, Hollensburg, were entertained by Miss Helen Taylor, Bath street, during the latter part of the week.

VISITORS AT OTHER POINTS

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Collier and family, Filmore street, were guests for a day of Mr. and Mrs. John McCrea, Philadelphia.

Miss Jean Jamieson has returned to Wilson avenue, after spending a week with relatives in Fairlawn, N. J.

Mrs. Maurice Wade, Pine street, visited her husband in Navy Hospital, Philadelphia, Sunday.

LEAVES HERE FOR TRIPS

Mrs. Dorothy McCadden, Swain street, is spending two weeks with relatives and friends in Lancaster and Columbia.

Miss Harriet Lippincott, Linden street, and Gerald Luff, Newtown, spent Saturday in Havre de Grace, Md.

Mrs. A. VanGulik, Pond street, left Sunday for Clifton, N. J., where she is spending a week with relatives.

Mrs. William Yeagle and sons, Melvin and Harold, Locust street, spent two days visiting Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Yeagle, Glenolden.

AT LOCAL HOMES

Mr. and Mrs. H. Stevens, Trenton, N. J., were guests a day last week of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Schmidt, Otter street. Lawrence McCoy, Jr., Trenton, N. J., was the guest at the Schmidt home from Friday until Sunday.

Jean Connors, Flortace, N. J., spent the week-end with her grandmother, Mrs. M. Hess, Bath street.

Mrs. Robert Sullivan, Philadelphia, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Moose, 327 Monroe street.

GUESTS OF LOCALITES

Mrs. Daniel Jackson, Philadelphia, was a Saturday and Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Zillner, 1810 Benson Place. Mr. and Mrs. Zillner moved yesterday from Benson Place to East Circle.

Edward Riley, Philadelphia, spent the week-end visiting Mr. and Mrs. Richard Grace, 326 Jefferson avenue.

Miss Mary Green, Philadelphia, will be a guest during the latter part of the week of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Keating, 208 Corson street.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hunter, Bath street, had as Sunday dinner guests, Mr. and Mrs. George Cresler and children, Jane and George, Jr., Mrs. An-

a party. Twelve little friends attended.

A guest over the week-end of Mr. and Mrs. John McHugh, Corson street, was Patrick McHugh, Philadelphia.

Week-end guests of Mrs. Hannah Peoples, 703 Corson street, were Mr. and Mrs. Edward Frantz and baby, Mary Ellen, Delair, N. J.

Miss Mary Rice, Burlington, N. J., was having a short visit to Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Waters, Madison street.

ACCEPT HOSPITALITY ELSEWHERE

Saturday and Sunday were spent by Mrs. Russell Attrison and Mrs. Edward Dugan, Bath street, at Beach Haven Crest, N. J.

Guests over the week-end of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bonner, Pine street, were Mr. and Mrs. Edward Thompson and Edward, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. John Bonner, Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Shire, West Circle, entertained over the week-end, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ohlmsdale, Prospect Park.

Mrs. Marion Young, Trenton, N. J., will pass the latter part of the week with Mr. and Mrs. John Smith, 321 Washington street.

Mrs. Raymond Holsneck, Elizabeth N. J., is spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Holsneck, Otter street. Mrs. Holsneck is confined to her home with illness. Raymond Holsneck and daughter Beatrice passed Sunday at the Holsneck home here. Guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. John Smith, 158 Otter street, were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fink and daughter, Philadelphia.

Springer Spear, Wilmington, Del., was a visitor during the week-end of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Maddox, Maple Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Slaymaker, 1610 Trenton avenue, had as a week-end guest, S. Carroll Hart, Bridgewater.

Mrs. Charles Cooke and son Glenn, Wilmington, Del., week-ended with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Phipps, Third avenue. While here, the second birthday of Glenn was celebrated with

Mrs. Spencer Brown, 225 West Cir-

cle, left Sunday to spend a month in Oakland, Cal., with friends.

A week is being spent by Mrs. Edward Hendrickson, Cleveland street, in Mt. Holly, N. J., at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Foote.

Howard North, Jefferson avenue, was a week-end visitor of Mr. and Mrs. Gallagher, Philadelphia.

Monday was spent by Mrs. C. J. Hetherington, Locust street, in Phila-

delphia, as guest of her sister, Mrs. Samuel Edwards.

A week in York, with friends, is being passed by Harold C. James, Buckley street.

SEVENTEEN TABLES OF PLAYERS PLACED AT A LOCAL PARTY

A card party was held last evening in the Knights of Columbus Home by the Catholic Daughters of America, with Mrs. Joseph Foster as chairman. Seventeen tables of players were arranged, and prizes were awarded the winners.

In bridge the highest scores were attained by: Miss Margaret McGee, 1819; Miss Veronica Dugan, 1713; Miss Elizabeth Brennan, 1697.

Pinochle: Mrs. Florence Gallagher, 802; Mrs. Margaret Murphy, 764; Mrs. A. Hoffman, 751; Miss Margaret Roarty, 752; Mrs. B. F. McGee, 742.

"500": Mrs. Marguerite Green, 4670; Mrs. Joseph Wollard, 4690; Miss Angeline Riley, 3440; Miss Margaret McCadden, 3320; Miss B. E. Brogan, 3240.

Refreshments were served.

Classified Advertising Department

Announcements

Deaths

GRUPP—At Eddington, Pa., October 1, 1934, Otto, Sr., husband of Anna Grupp (nee Fey), relatives and friends, also Croydon Square Club; Bristol Lodge, No. 970, B. P. O. E., and directors of Croydon Building Association are invited to the funeral services from his late residence, Eddington, Pa., on Friday, October 5th, at 2 p.m. Interment in Chelten Hill Cemetery, Philadelphia. Friends may call Thursday evening after 6 p.m.

Funeral Directors

UNDERTAKER—William L. Murphy, Est., 316 Jefferson avenue, Bristol, Pa. Phone 2417.

Strayed, Lost, Found

LOST—Man's yellow gold ring, set with tiger's eye, on Saturday in vicinity of Torano's Garage, Pond St. Reward if returned to J. N. Maddox, Maple Beach.

Business Service

Professional Services

MECHANICAL DENTIST—James Sweeney, 242 Buckley street. Plates repaired.

Repairing and Refinishing

FURNITURE—Refinished, repaired, re-upholstered. Chairs caned. Prices reasonable. John McDade, 5 Main street, Croydon.

Employment

Help Wanted—Female

CROCHETERS—Experienced on infants' hand-made sacques & bootees. White Chas. Metz, 11 N. 6th street, Phila.

LADIES (2)—As local sales representatives for fine lingerie line. Easy, pleasant work, full or part time; very liberal commissions payable at once. State age, education, nationality. M. J. Scott Co., 6459 Woodcrest avenue, Philadelphia, Pa.

CHRISTMAS CARD SALESPeople—100% profit. 21-folder \$1 assortment, 14 deluxe folders, gift wrappings. Bonuses. Samples on approval. Chilton Greetings, 175N Lincoln, Boston, Mass.

Merchandise

Horses, Cattle, Other Stock

SPOTTED PONY—Quiet for children; also cart, for sale. Harry Zobel, Steele Ave., West Bristol.

Articles for Sale

NEUWEILER'S BEER—3 bot., 25¢; kegs as low as \$2.00. Plus deposit. Valentine, West Bristol, phone 9827.

"NO TRESPASSING"—Signs. Apply at Courier Office.

PIPELESS HEATER—In good condition. Call at 535 Linden street, Bristol.

Rooms and Board

Rooms with Board

WANTED—Roomers and boarders. All conveniences. Inquire Courier office.

NEWPORTVILLE ROAD—West Bristol, nice large rooms to rent with or without meals. Jones', Bristol, 7152.

Rooms Without Board

N. RADCLIFFE ST.—Flat room facing river for 1 or 2 gentlemen. Rate very reasonable. Phone Bristol 9923.

FURNISHED ROOM—In refined family, tall home priv. for refined gentleman or lady. Box 233, Courier Office.

LARGE FRONT ROOM—With twin beds, or one single room, for man. All conveniences. Central location. Phone 9825.

Real Estate for Rent

Apartments and Flats

SMALL APARTMENTS—Unfurnished. \$15 and up per month. Inquire S. D. Detlefon, Courier Office.

APARTMENTS—Two on Cleveland street, rent \$16. Two on Trenton Ave., rent \$14. Four rooms and bath, conveniences, excellent condition. Francis J. Byers, 409 Radcliffe St., Phone 2000.

JEFFERSON AVE., 210—3 rooms and bath. Apply to John Weik at above address.

Houses for Rent

EDGELY, RADCLIFFE ST.—Dwelling, 7 rooms and bath, laundry, hot-water heat, hardwood floors, automatic hot water heater, all conveniences, garage in basement. Rent \$40. Francis J. Byers, real estate and insurance, 409 Radcliffe street. Phone 2000.

FINE DWELLING—Bungalow type, 6 rooms and bath, laundry, hot-water heat, open fireplace, gas, automatic hot-water heater, all conveniences, garage, Rent \$27. Francis J. Byers, 409 Radcliffe street. Phone 2000.

MOVE—To the center of things. Seven rooms, garage, all conveniences. Near Mill St. Now being renovated. Low rent to good tenant. Nichols Studio, 1919 King Street, Suite 100, Croydon.

SMALL BUNGALOW—In Croydon. Occupancy latter part of October. Write Box 224, Courier Office.

HOUSE—Acre of ground near canal lot, back of Headley Manor, with garage and chicken houses; needs repairs, sale price \$1000; rent \$8 monthly. Also house on Bath Road, near P. R. R. station, rent \$25 per month. A. R. Burton, 502 Radcliffe street.

Held in Slaying



Marvin Day

Breaking down after hours of questioning by police from three states, Marvin Day, 20, pictured above, of South Bend, Ind., assertedly confessed to the assault and slaying in 1930 of eight-year-old Marverine Appel, in a South Bend alley. His statement to a Missouri transients' camp official that he was allegedly being sought in connection with the case had brought about his arrest.

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DAVE'S DELICATESSEN



...SPORTS...

BRISTOL BOWLING CLUB ROLLS GOOD MATCH

In the best match rolled so far this season the Bristol Bowling Club team won 3 of the 4 pins from Rohm and Haas. This match produced some very fine bowling by every player in it. Andy Pfaffenrath, A. Hirsch and Yeagle, all hit over the 600 mark.

In the National League Asco won all 4 points from Madison, Lee Satterthwaite being the high man with a total of 522.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

MADISON	108	105
Arensmeier	101	87
Wexler	100	95
Black	108	98
Turner	108	99
McGill	85	132
Satterthwaite	177	169
Armstrong	136	134
	607	622
ASCO	625	1834
Moore	136	167
D. Lynn	152	111
R. Johnson	108	99
E. Lynn	137	117
McCann		133
McDevitt	149	146
	682	640
BRISTOL LEAGUE	705	2027
Hirsch	177	209
Pfaffenrath	191	233
Yates	163	232
Kilian	150	150
Sharkey	213	148
Encke	192	168
	923	921
B. B. C.	993	2837
Fields	201	197
Boyd	179	199
R. Ratcliffe	190	172
Deitrich	198	224
Yeagle	224	150
	942	947
	2881	

Dr. Brown Says Freda McKechnie Died of Blow

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and tell of how her body was found floating in an arc on the quiet waters of Harvey's Lake.

The sister of Freda weeps as a camper describes finding her dress, underwear, stockings, shoes and red purse under a tree on the shore. This purse was given to Freda by Edwards for an Easter gift.

George McKechnie, gray-haired mine boss, licks his lips savagely as witnesses tell of seeing Freda wading gayly into the lake on the night that was to be her last.

Young Edwards, of Welsh descent, is the most unemotional of anybody in the jammed courtroom.

They are calling him "poker face."

The mother of the girl he once loved pictures him as a fiendish deceiver.

The girl-friend of Freda sketches him as ice while they are searching for her body.

The sister of Freda paints him as double-tongued in their hour of agony.

The State crucifies him as a plotting, ruthless, heart-breaking murderer.

But the 21-year-old mine surveyor, with the finely-cheeked features and ebony, sleek hair, moves not a muscle.

The Biggest Fish I Ever Caught

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great extent in a small pond at the rear of the Nathan C. Lane Estate, at Edgely.

Mr. Swain has had some interesting experiences in his big bass at that spot, having run a 325-pound one so near his home. On four he was able to get at a spot within a very short period of time, using a type of lure he perfect ed, the smallest weighed two pounds. He informed conditions have not been so good for that type of fish in the pond in question this season according to the Edgelyite.

HULMEVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Charles had as their guests on Sunday Mr. Charles' sister, Miss Alma Charles, and Mr. Patterson, Bloomfield, N. J.

A two week-end trip being paid by Miss Verna Street to Miss Mary Valle, New York City.

Over the past week-end Mrs. Herbert Myers was entertained at the home of friends in Frankford.

A meeting to which all members of the Methodist Church and Sunday School and other organizations are invited, will be held in the church tomorrow evening, when plans will be discussed for a supper.

Philadelphia, Oct. 3.—Three persons are dead and one woman lay near death today as a climax to a series of traffic accidents in this area during the past 24 hours.

Mrs. Barbara Dressler, 60, was instantly killed last night as she and her daughter, Miss Ella Dressler, 35, were pinned against a tree by an automobile driven by Max Moehrle, 60, of Langhorne Manor. Miss Dressler is reported in a serious condition. John Ann, 45, of this city died early today after being struck by an automobile at a busy intersection last night. Two year old John Kelly was killed by a truck last evening when he was struck while attempting to cross the street in front of his home.

LOCAL MARKSMEN WIN IN RIFLE SHOOT

The Bristol-Burlington Rifle and Pistol Club defeated the rifle team from the Holmesburg Fish and Game Club, Saturday, at the Bristol Range, over the complete 100-yard course for small-bore rifles. The possible score was 400 points. The first five having

spent the night on soap boxes, camp chairs and the flat of their ill-advised feet, while waiting for the general admission gates to open, there still was a chance of outwitting fate before the windows closed.

To those insane thousands who

spent the night on soap boxes, camp

chairs and the flat of their ill-advised

feet, while waiting for the general

admission gates to open, there still was

a chance of outwitting fate before the

windows closed.

Fortunately for the all-night vigil-

ants, the weather did not require any

greater philosophy than a good, stout

overcoat. The night and early morn-

ing were brisk in temperature but

clear, indicating that the game would

be played without interruption.

COMING EVENTS

Bristol-Burlington:

R. Woerner 358

E. Ryan 346

L. Cross 342

E. Ridge 340

A. Severs 323

Team total 1709

Holmesburg:

Beets 310

Case 299

Galen 250

Hills 232

Clark 229

Team total 1320

Tigers and St. Louis Open Series Today

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the strange case of the Cardinals who

were seven games behind the New

York Giants with three weeks to go

and finished two games ahead on the

last day of the season.

The Detroit victory has not been

repeated since that long-distant day

when Cobb was rampant and the Ti-

gers ruled the league. The St. Louis

performance is quite without preced-

ent.

The Deans are two of the reasons

that this series has been carried a bit

beyond the routine of the formal and

in truth, slightly phonny drama of oth-

er years. The Deans, you see, are very

real. Together, they have pitched the

Cardinals into upward of fifty victo-

ries this year. Together, they have

struck with success for a higher wage

and, without any success at all, fought

a family suspension of ten days be-

cause delirious thought an exhibition

game in this very town was some-

thing that did not affect him and poi-

sonous, as usual, thought delirious

was right.

And, practically alone, they carried

their club through its magnificient

September drive, pitching in turn and

out until the pennant was won.

In other words, it is the Deans and

the fervor of a local citizenry that

single store on Vesey street, New

York. Today its anniversary will

be celebrated by 90,000 employees in

reasons have caused the Detroit Club

15,000 stores serving 6,000,000 custom-

ers a day.

Organizations whose announce-

ments are printed in this column can

reciprocate by having all printing in

connection with announced events

done by the publishers of this paper.

Oct. 6—

Card party at Newportville Fire

House, benefit of fire company.

Bake sale for Navy Division, Bethel

M. E. Church, at 315 Main street,

9 to 12 noon.

Oct. 8—

Installation of officers, Lily Re-

bekah Lodge, 366, in I. O. O. F.

hall.

Covered dish supper and bingo

party by St. Agnes Guild at And-

lesia P. E. parish house, 6 p. m.

Oct. 9—

Program by the Rev. Percy Craw-

ford and his quartet of Young

People's Church of the Air at

Bristol M. E. Church, 8 p. m.

Men's Club social evening, at And-

lesia P. E. parish house.

Oct. 12—

Home-coming of members of

Neshaminy Lodge, 422, I. O. O. F.,

at Hulmeville lodge room.

Card party by Edgely School Asso-

ciation at Edgely school.

Oct. 13—

Eighth annual chicken supper L

Newportville Fire Company in fir

station.

Oyster supper at Croydon M. E.

Church, 5 to 8 p. m.

Bake sale by three classes of Bris-

tol M. E. Sunday School at Win-

ter's store, Mill and Wood streets.

Rummage sale at Bethel A. M. E.

Church basement, 12:30 to 6 p. m.

When asked about the famous bliz-

zard of '88, Mr. Patten told how he